

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-8 and add new claims 9-19 as indicated in Appendix A submitted herewith. Appendix A is a clean copy of the new claims.

REMARKS

Claims 9-19 are currently pending in the present application. The claims have been amended in the expectation that the amendments will place this application in condition for allowance. The amendments do not introduce new matter within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. § 132. Accordingly, entry of the amendments is respectfully requested.

1. Objection to the Specification

The Official Action states that the specification is objected to for the following reasons:

The specification is objected to as for being informal (poor copy, illegible writings/marks) in pages 9-10 (Tables 1 and 2). The specification must be clearly legible. Correction is required.

Applicants respectfully submit that the instant specification as filed is in full compliance with the patent statutes. In particular, the Examiner objects to the poor copy and illegible writings/marks in Tables 1 and 2 on pages 9-10 of the instant specification. However, applicants point out to the Examiner that pages 9 and 10 of the original specification as filed contained original claims 1-8 only. Tables 1 and 2 are not present on pages 9 and 10. A courtesy copy of pages 9 and 10 of the original specification as filed are enclosed herewith